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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

JEFFREY P. BUCCELLA,

Defendant.

Case No.

Judge

INFORMATION

Title 18 United States Code,
Sections 666(a)(1)(B)

1:06CR0245
JUDGE POLSTER

The United States Attorney charges:

1. At all times relevant to this Information, the Warren City School District was an organization that received benefits in excess of \$10,000 under a Federal program involving a grant, contract, subsidy, loan, guarantee, and insurance during the one year period beginning January 1, 2001, and ending December 31, 2001.

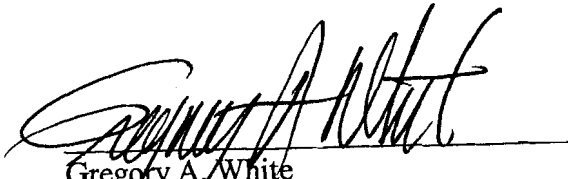
2. From February 1999 through February 2002, the exact dates being unknown to the United States Attorney, Defendant JEFFREY P. BUCCELLA was an agent of the Warren City School District in that he was employed by Community Bus Services as a Maintenance Supervisor for the Warren City School District and was in charge of managing the Warren City

School District bus fleet.

3. At all times relevant to this Information, Ralph William Palmer, Jr. was employed as the manager of 3 Star Truck Service in Niles, Ohio.

4. On or about May 18, 2001, in the Northern District of Ohio, Eastern Division, Defendant JEFFREY. P. BUCCELLA did knowingly and corruptly solicit, demand, accept, and agree to accept something of value from Ralph William Palmer, Jr. intending to be influenced and rewarded in connection with a transaction of the Warren City School District involving the purchase of something of value of \$5,000 or more, to wit, the Warren City School District's purchase of two trucks from 3 Star Truck Service for \$33,000.00.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 666(a)(1)(B).



Gregory A. White
United States Attorney